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The polls will be opened at 10 a.m. and closed at 12
m. Transfer books will be closed on the 1st of January, 1890, and opened on January 8, 1890.
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From 5 a.m. until 10 p.m.
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Election for five directors and a cierk and treasurer same day and place.

ALBERT HEWSON.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE BIGHTWOOD RAILWAY COMPANY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.—The annual election of Directors of the Brightwood Railway Company of the District of Columbia will be held at Room 87. Atlantic Building, 928 and 930 F st., Washington City, D.C., on THURSDAY the 9th day of January, 1890, between the hours of 12 m and 1 o'clock p.m., and have such other business which may be brought before that meeting for the attention of the stockholders.

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GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TODAY.-Internal

revenue, \$785.965; customs, \$366,817. THE PRESIDENT will be unable to attend the annual dinner of the New England society in Philadelphia tonight, and he has so informed Postmaster General Wanamaker, through whom the invitation was extended.

SECRETARY TRACY has returned to Washington from New York.

NAVAL ORDERS.-Lieut, Geo. W. Mentz to the bureau of navigation. Capt. B. J. Cromwell from the League Island navy yard to special duty at Chester, Pa., as inspector of ordnance of new vessels. Lieut. J. T. Newton from bureau of navigation and placed on waiting orders. Ensign H. C. Poundstone from the Washington navy yard and ordered to duty in the coast survey.

THE TUG FORTUNE has arrived from New York.

A DINNER TO HIS COLLEAGUES.-Capt. E. Richard, delegate from France to the marine conference, dined several of his colleagues at the Arlington Saturday night. Those present were M. Roustan, Admiral Eiel A. Garde, Capt. Verela de Eorres, Capt. Cordovil Maurity, Messrs, Kimball and Riebiere, Bisbie, Capt. Chen Ugen Eno, Lieut. Vega de Sevane, Lieut. Beaugency, T. Winshurst, Capt. Norcross, Lieut. Chia Ni Hsi, Count Sala and Capt.

HOLIDAY GIFTS IN THE MAILS.-The holiday. gift season manifests itself in the postal service by a great increase in the bulk of mail matter. This increase begins in the early part of the month and continues with expanding volume until after Christmas. In all the large post offices of the country the force of clerks is increased by the addition of temporary employes. The office in this city is allowed six extra clerks for the holiday season, and in a great office like New York city the extra list of clerks contains as many as twenty names.

CHRISTMAS MONEY FOR TREASURY CLERKS .-Secretary Windom has issued an order authorizing disbursing clerks, Bartlett and Hobbs. of the Treasury department to pay the employes of the department today the salaries due them up to and including Christmas day. The balance will be paid December 31.

SECRETARY NOBLE left this morning for New York, where he will attend the dinner of the New England society this evening.

POSTMASTER GENERAL WANAMAKER left this afternoon for Philadelphia. This evening he will be a guest at the dinner of the New England society of that city.

MR. MARSHALL CUSHING, the private secretary of Postmaster General Wanamaker, will will visit Philadelphia, New York and Boston, and will spend some time at his home in Massa VIRGINIA AND MARYLAND POSTMASTERS.-The

following fourth-class postmasters have been appointed in Virginia: Jno. R. Thomas, Adams Grove, Southampton county; Adam Seakford, Alma, Page county; Lacy C. Alphin, Alum Springs, Rockbridge county; Wm. H. Sadler, Fork Union, Fluvanna county; Geo. H. Webb, Union Mills, Fluvanna county. Also John L. Sigler at Ringgold, Washington county, Md.

CLARENCE H. BUTLER of Maryland has been transferred to the Post Office department from the city post office and appointed a clerk at

THE DELEGATION OF SIOUX CHIEFS, who have been in the city for some time, will leave this afternoon for Hampton, Va., to visit the Indian school in that place, where several members of the delegation have children. They will stay there a day or two and then return to this city. After talking with the Indian commis-sioner and seeing the sights the Indians will THE VIRGINIA-TENNESSEE BOUNDARY DIS-

States today granted the state of Virginia leave to file a complaint against the state of Tennessee in the matter of the disputed boundary line between the two states. Subpœnas were directed to issue against the governor and attorney general of Tennessee.

PUTE.-The Supreme Court of the United

HELD BY THE TREASURER. The Securities, Checks, Etc., Left in the Sergeant-at-Arms' Safe by Silcott.

Inside of the wire cages of vault number six. next to the cash room of the Treasury, amid stacks of gold coins, piles of green notes and rolls of silver dollars, amounting to about \$3,000,000, rests a huge packet of brown paper. splotched here and there with sealing wax and looking like a Christmas box. When Assistant Treasurer Whelpley turned it over on its side this morning to show it to THE STAR reporter who accompanied him into the vault the following inscription, written in ink, was discovered: "Contents of cash compartments of safe of

signed.
(Signed) "J. P. Leedom, Geo. E. Adams,
J. W. Whelpley, A. J. Holmes, J. D. Selzer."

The packet contains upward of \$83,000, in
notes, checks and other securities, representing all that was left behind by Cashier Silcott
when he departed from the city with the
money of various members of Congress. It
will be held by the Treasurer until Congress
authorizes its further disposition.

At Clarksburg, W.Va., Benjamin Coffman, one of the richest farmers in that section, was placed in jail Saturday, charged with shooting Charles Shrieves, who was for hunting on his

Telegrams to The Star.

Slavin and Smith Fight Their Tilt to a

Grady at Atlanta. died of pneumonia at twenty minutes before four this morning. With perhaps a single exception Henry Woodfen Grady was the best known editor in all the southern states. He stood in the front rank of American journalists and the prospect of none was brighter. His father was a colonel in the confederate army. and lost his life in battle when his son was only fourteen years old. Young Grady was edu-cated at the University of Georgia, in his native ent figure for exchange from that allowed to city, where he graduated at the head of his at the University of Virginia. From the first Mr. Grady was strongly attached to journalism, and on leaving college, a lad of nineteen, he started a daily paper on his own account at Rome, Ga., which failed of support. He moved afterward the Atlanta Courier, both of which ventures proved unsuccessful. His ready pen. however, found plenty of employment. He wrote for the Atlanta Constitution, the Louis-

ville Courier-Journal and other papers.

James Gordon Bennett the elder appe him as Georgia correspondent for the New York Herald, a post which he held for six years. A fortunate speculation, it is said, in railroad stock yielded him \$20,000, which he very wisely invested in a quarter interest in the Atlanta Constitution. This interest, now enormously enhanced, he still owned when he died. In the December following the Charleston catastrophe Mr. Grady delivered an address in New York at the annual dinner of the New England society on the "New South," That speech was and still is applauded all over the country, south as well as north, and helped to make its author famous in remote localities where his name had not hitherto been known. Mr. Grady's last public appearance was at the recent dinner of the week. The citizens are out in squads and the Boston merchants' club, where he and exhave plenty of rope with them. President Cleveland played star parts. His theme then was the status of the negro in the south, and newspapers throughout the country are still quoting from its ringing sentences and

MR. GRADY'S ILLNESS. physician and returned quite sick. Saturday his condition was very serious and Sunday it was understood that there was very little hope for his recovery. The announcement that his death was possible was a great shock to the people and the most intense interest was felt. By 10:30 o'clock last night he began growing worse, and at 3 o'clock he was said to be dying.
At 3:40 he quietly breathed his last.
When daylight came and the news of his

never equaled here before. The arrangements for the funeral have not been made yet. Mr. Grady was born in Athens, Ga., in 1851, and will probably be buried there beside his father, who was killed in the war while gallantly leading the 25th North Carolina regiment at Petersburg. Mr. Grady leaves a widow and two chil-MOURNED IN CHARLESTON. CHARLESTON, S.C., Dec. 23.—Henry W. Grady's

As soon as the news was received here the stars

and stripes were placed at half-mast on the News and Courier building. A Christmas Fraud. New York, Dec. 23 .- Jno. Jones was arrested today for sending out circulars representing that the firm of Billings & Camp, 853 Broad-

way, would sell Christmas dry goods by mail. Cash in advance was required of all customers.

There is no such firm.

Other Lands Than Ours. AN IRONCLAD SAVED. LONDON, Dec. 23.-The British ironclad Sultan, sunk on a rock in the Mediterranean while under the duke of Edinburgh and subsequently raised by floating docks, has reached Spitzhead

STEAMER AGROUND. LONDON, Dec. 23.-The steamer Wickbay from Baltimore for Kings Lynn, which went aground in the channel, is full of water. COTTON BURNED.

Suez and Pawnee from Savannah has been burned on the quay at Genoa. Fifteen hundred bales were damaged by fire and water. The cargoes of the steamers Annie and Letembro, from New Orleans, are also believed to have been destroyed. COLLISION. LONDON, Dec. 23 .- The steamer P. Calland

London, Dec. 23.-Cotton from the steamers

collided with the ship Thorbeicke IV and sus-EMIN. ZANZIBAR, Dec. 23.-Though Emin Pasha is recovering from the effects of his recent accident at Bagamoyo the German doctors who are

attending him say it will not be safe to remove him from that place inside of three weeks. THE YORKTOWN IS THERE. LISBON, Dec. 23.-All the vessels comprising the American evolution squadron are now at this port, the Yorktown having arrived today.

LIBERAL CONFERENCE.

nell and the other chiefs of the Gladstonian

London, Dec. 23.-Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Par-

party will meet in London before the session of parliament opens to act upon the course to be taken by the party in parliament. This will be based on the lines of the agreement made by Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Parnell during the lat-ter's visit to Mr. Gladstone at Hawarden last Parts of Bedies Washed Ashore. ASBURY PARK, N.J., Dec. 23.-Several por

tions of human bodies, including one head

have been found on the beach between Sandy

Hook and Seabright by the crews of life saving

stations 1 and 2. They are beyond doubt parts of the bodies of the crew of the bark Germania, which was wrecked at Long Branch a short Honors to a Philanthropist. CHICAGO, Dec. 23.- Services in memory of the late Jno. Creerar, who left some millions of dollars to found a library in this city, were held

Her Father Was Editor of Le Temps. Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 23.-Lucy Weiler, the sixteen-year-old daughter of Prof. Richard Weiler, committed suicide Saturday by swallowweller, committed suicide Saturday by swallowing chloroform. Her father is a native of France
and was once one of the editors of the Paris
Temps and quite wealthy. He lost his fortune
and came to this city, where he gained a livelihood by teaching languages. The girl was so
despondent over the fall from wealth to poverty
that she took her own life. She was beautiful
and highly educated.

TWO CENTS.

A SILVER TONGUE SILENCED.

Death This Morning of Henry W. Grady.

EMIN BAY IS NOW CONVALESCENT.

UNCERTAIN STATE OF THINGS IN BRAZIL

THE SOUTH LOSES A CHAMPION. Death Early This Morning of Henry W.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 23.-Henry W. Grady class, and his studies were afterwards continued to Atlanta and issued the Atlanta Herald and

commenting upon his stirring utterances on

that occasion. Mr. Grady was ill when he left Atlanta for in the hold of which two men were suffocated Boston to deliver the speech recently delivered by foul gases last Friday, were drowned in the there. He went contrary to the advice of his bay yesterday afternoon, kill Mrs. O'Neill.

reported to have drafted the Cronin report death spread over the city it created a sorrow published Saturday, says he never saw or heard of the document before

death has caused universal regret in Charleston. His loss is regarded as a public calamity.

A Kentucky Blast. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 23.—Early yesterday morning a cyclone accompanied by rain swept through the center of the town of Pineville, Ky., and demolished three business houses and

Boston, Dec. 23 .- Gov. Hill has been invited

to make a speech at the dinner to be given by the Massachusetts democrats on the anniversary of Jackson's victory at New Orleans. Miners' Conference. COLUMBUS, ORIO, Dec. 23,-Master Workman

The Cronin Jury Quiet. CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—A morning paper quotes Foreman Clarke of the Cronin jury as saying

Hotel Burned. SYRACUSE, N.Y., Dec. 23.-A fire in the Brunswick house at midnight last night caused a loss

of \$10,000; fully insured, That Candy Poisoner. St. John, N.B., Dec. 23. - William Macdonald, charged with the murder of Mrs. Rae by means of poisoned candy sent through the mail, has been found guilty of committing the crime

widower residing at Lo. Gatos, becoming incensed at his sixteen-year-old daughter's refusal to hand him her wages yesterday shot and killed her. He then cut his throat with a razor, inflicting a serious but not fatal wound. Burned to Death.

the clothing of her two-year-old daughter. Both were terribly burned. The mother, who was but twenty-two years old, died this morn-ing and the child will also die.

Wall Street Today. morning was in no way different in character from that of Saturday, and while there was, if "Contents of cash compartments of safe of sergeant-at-arms, House of Representatives, sealed for purpose of delivery to treasurer of United States, pursuant to resolution of the House adopted December 21, 1889. Seal of the House of Representatives affixed on sealing wax in sundry places in presence of the undersigned.

(Signed) "J. P. Leedom, Geo. E. Adams, J. W. Whelpley, A. J. Holmes, J. D. Selzer."

dollars to found a library in this city, were held in Central music hall yesterday. Mayor Cregier presided. Among those present were Lyman Trumbull, Marshall Field, Lyman J. Gage, E. W. Blatchford, Norman Williams and Rev. Clinton Locke, Memorial addresses were made by the Hon. Thos. B. Bryan, the Rev. Frank Bristol, Mr. Franklin Mac Veagh and Bishop Fallows.

> Dr. McGlynn's Christmas. New York, Dec. 23 .- The former parishioners

BRUGES, Dec. 23.-Jem Smith and Frank Slavin fought on private grounds three miles from here this morning. The friends of both parties squabbled from the outset. The Smith party seemed inclined to prevent a meeting and placed every obstacle they could in the way of bringing the men together. At the ring side the proceedings were disgraceful and the ring was finally broken into and the fight declared a draw. In the first two rounds Slavin forced the fighting and got in some heavy blows on Smith's chest and head. Both men fell together at the end of the second round and Sia-vin arose bleeding from the mouth. In the third round Smith sent his right and left home with telling effect and Slavin ended the round by knocking Smith down. In the fourth and fifth rounds the fighting was fast and furious In the sixth round Slavin landed a terrific blow on Smith's eye. Smith fought Slavin to the ropes in the seventh round and some of the crowd kicked Slavin several times. Neither

SMITH AND SLAVIN.

The Fight Came Off This Morning and

Was a Draw.

Slavin nor his seconds made protest against this action by the ringside. KNOCKED HIM CLEAN OVER. In the eighth round Slavin knocked Smith completely off his pins. The spectators again attacked Slavin in the ninth round and struck him repeatedly. The tenth round was feature-less. In the eleventh round Slavin again sent Smith to grass. The twelfth round was tame. In the thirteenth round Smith's sympathizers again attacked Slavin, Smith having been knocked down. In the fourteenth round Slavin made an appeal to the crowd for fair play. The sympathisers of Smith derided him and, raising the cry of "police," bolted. Smith also fled, but Slavin remained in the ring. The alarm of police proving false Smith re-turned with his followers, but the referee refused to allow the fight to go on. He said it was impossible to obtain fair play and declared the fight a draw. Slavin showed the effects of his punishment but little at the end of the contest and was as full of fight as he was at the

BRAZIL UNDER A CLOUD.

Cable Telegrams Show Great Uncertainty in Trade There. LISBON, Dec. 23.—Uneasiness prevails among the bankers and merchants here because of the evident untrustworthiness of advices from Brazil. Private cablegrams received in cipher pass the censorship at Rio for direct cabling to

· Preached. MILWAUKEE, Dec. 23.-A judge, a lawyer and a banker occupied the pulpit in company with the pastor at New Plymouth, or the "Church of Latter Day Ideas" last evening. The three secular gentlemen who appeared in the pulpit were Judge Noves of the supeme court, J. V. Quarles, a well known attorney and politician, and John Johnson, cashier and one of the owners of the Mitchell bank. The speakers

were liberally applauded. The new church will be open every day in the year, being fitted up with a gymnasium, a reading room and a lunch room. No intoxicating liquors are sold on the premises.

Plenty of Rope. WICHITA, KAN., Dec. 23.-Word comes from Stevens county that a score or more of horses were stolen Saturday night by a gang of men who came up from "No Man's Land" early in

San Francisco, Dec. 23.-Charles Stevens, first mate, and William Higginson, second mate of the ill fated ship Durham, which was damaged by fire at Port Costa last week and

A Fatal Ship.

A Father-in-Law's Fate. BUTTE, MONT., Dec. 23.-Jno. O'Neill was shot by his son-in-law, Wm Harris, Saturday night and died Sunday. O'Neill was trying to

Denies It. TROY, N.Y., Dec. 23.-W. J. Roche, who was

Bartellot's Death. New York, Dec. 23 .- Herbert Ward, the African explorer, denies the story that Mai. Bartellot was killed by a native because he struck a native woman. Ward says Stanley has

been deceived on many points and that he will probably modify some of his statements about Bartellot and Ward when he learns all the facts.

several dwellings. The loss is estimated at about \$50,000. The only persons injured were Grant and James North, brothers, who were seriously hurt. A Jacksonian Invitation.

John B. Rae and Secretary Robert Watchorn of national district assembly 135, Knights of Labor, last night issued their call for a general convention of miners of the United States to be held in Columbus, January 24, 1890. Strikers Gone to Work.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 23 .- A majority of the coal miners in the Monongahela valley resumed operations today at the half-cent per bushel advance in the mining rate demanded by the

that it is not likely that the statement of the tained some damage, the extent of which is not yet known. The latter vessel sank. eleven jurors will be published until the jury bribing trial is over. It is said it is held back at the request of the state's attorney.

> Wanted Her Wages. SAN JOSE, CAL., Dec. 23.-Wm. Eubanks, .

New York, Dec. 23.—Shortly after midnight this morning a kerosene lamp exploded in the apartments of Mrs. Kate Houston, 167 West 60th street, and set fire to her clothing and to

New York, Dec. 23.—The stock market this

of Rev. Dr. McGlynn today presented to him \$1,600 they collected during the past three weeks. Last year they presented \$500 to him.

figures. First prices were general from 1/2 to 3/2 per cent higher than Saturday's final figures, but except in Missouri Pacific, which rose from 73 1/2 to 74 1/4, the fluctuations of the hour were confined to the smallest fractions, though made in the upward direction. Late in the hour, however, most of the improvement in the Missouri Pacific had been lost and a drooping tendency developed in the general fist. At 11 o'clock the market was very dull and unsettled at about opening prices.

Lisbon. It is thus difficult to calculate a basis for commercial transactions and the actual situation in Brazil is left in uncertainty. A Judge, a Lawyer and a Banker